

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MCALLEN DIVISION**

<b>SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,</b>	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
v.	§	Case No.: 7:13-cv-00531
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<b>MARCO A. RAMIREZ; BEBE RAMIREZ;</b>	§	
<b>USA NOW, LLC; USA NOW ENERGY CAPITAL</b>	§	
<b>GROUP, LP; and NOW CO. LOAN SERVICES LLC;</b>	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	
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**PLAINTIFF’S NOTICE OF STATUS**

Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) files this Notice of Status in accordance with the Court’s Order Granting *Ex Parte* Motion to File Under Seal and Temporarily Sealing Docket and Proceedings (“Seal Order”), to notify the Clerk and the Court that the Defendants have been served and received notice of this proceeding, and to request that the Clerk of the Court unseal the docket and proceedings.

**STATUS**

1. On September 30, 2013, the Court issued the Seal Order, and subsequently issued an Order Granting Emergency *Ex Parte* Application for Temporary Restraining Order, Asset Freeze, Appointment of a Receiver, Preliminary Injunction and other Emergency and Ancillary Relief (“TRO Order”) and an Order Appointing Receiver.

2. On or about 3:30 p.m. on September 30, 2013, Defendants were served with the Complaint, the TRO Order, and other pleadings, and therefore have notice of this action.

3. Accordingly, because one or more Defendants in the action have sufficient notice of this action, further sealing is unnecessary and, pursuant to the Seal Order, the Clerk should unseal this matter.

Dated: October 1, 2013

Respectfully Submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 1, 2013, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of the filing to all counsel who have registered with the Court. All others were served a copy by U.S. mail as detailed below:

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